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School Concert is Much Appreciated.

If there is anything that will bring a capacity crowd at the Theatre it is a concert given by the Didsbury School and the concert on Tuesday evening, given under the auspices of the Air Cadets League, was no exception.

The program, which was cleverly executed and thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience, was a credit to the young performers and to the teachers who had taken great care in the training.

Following a Military tap by Donna Durant and Betty Bowman, the operetta, "A Visit to Mother Goose Land," was presented.

This operetta, which was arranged by one of the local teachers, brought many of the characters from the nursery rhymes, who came to visit the "Old Woman who Lived in a Shoe." The clever little ditties and choruses and the antics of the different characters caused lots of amusement, and, as the prologue stated, made the audience remember many things they did when they were young.

The vocal trio, Dorothy Burr, Betty Bowman and Rita MacFawcett, delighted the audience with rendition of four popular songs, and the choruses by the full squadron of air-cadets, led by the girls quartette, comprising the trio and Thoren Gilrrie, was a climax to the musical portion of the program.

In the P.T. demonstration, directed by Mr. E. Wiggins, a large class of girls executed various drills with a snap and precision that was really a credit to the class, while a smaller group in a series of tumbling acts, gave a splendid exhibition and at times gave the audience quite a thrill.

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Celebrate Golden Wedding

Ingby Hall was a very busy spot on the evening of January 22 when a number of friends and neighbors had gathered in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Cowitz who were celebrating their golden wedding anniversary.

Married in Hancock, Iowa, in 1893, they came to Didsbury in 1903 and settled on their farm west of town in 1905, where they have resided.

The guests of honor were ushered into the hall to the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Ruth Cook. Long tables well laden with good "Eats" were laid down the centre of the hall, and the head table was decorated with a handsome three tier wedding cake. About 125 guests sat down to enjoy the banquet. At the conclusion of supper the wedding cake was cut and passed round; then followed a toast to the King and also one to the bride and bridegroom. "For they are jolly good fellows" was sung, after which both Mr. and Mrs. Cowitz replied to the toast.

After a short program of songs, readings, etc., a presentation was made to Mr. and Mrs. Cowitz by Mrs. Melnes on behalf of the community. Wishes for many more years of happiness and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" rounded out a very pleasant evening.

Earlier in the day a dinner for all members of the family and a few intimate friends was given at the Cowitz home.

At the intermission the chairman, F.O. Arthur Reiber, introduced F.O. Ewart, Air Cadet Liaison Officer, Edmonton, who in an address told of the founding of the Air Cadet League, and described work and objects of the League. He said that while the League formed a reservoir from which to draw recruits for the air training plan, there was absolutely no compulsion on the air cadets to join the air force. Those who joined, however, would have accomplished much of their initial training.

Word has been received that Al Brown, who has been overseas with the Canadian Dental Corps for the past two years, has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant. He has been transferred from No. 3 to No. 1 Dental Corps.

Our Free Institutions

Our much loved Democracy! Our Democratic way of life! The things that our young and not so young men die for. The things our women folk sacrifice for. The things that we stay at home make very proudly write about, talk about and dream about, and become so intoxicated with our blithering and dreaming that we seem incapable of doing much about.

Our Free Institutions; the very essence of Democracy in our small community. How are they faring? Who are the Leaders? What are they doing to further the interests of our Democratic way of life? Is the success of their efforts in some measure commensurate with the sacrifices of our boys and our women? Are we on the sidelines doing anything to help with constructive criticism, and may be an occasional pat on the back?

The annual Town and School Board meetings were held last Friday night. In addition to the members of the Council and School Board there were only five electors present, and of these five, only one was a property owner. We are not alone here. We hear that, in the town to the north of us, only three electors were present, and the meeting there lasted only fifteen minutes. There were some good things to report, and matters to discuss, that our meetings lasted from eight till nearly eleven o'clock.

The reports were good. It is a splendid idea on the part of the Council to build up a fund to take care of post-war schemes, such as that much needed modern hospital, and the providing of jobs for returning men and women. We are going to have to find work for all those willing to work and in need of a job. That is going to take a lot of money, the finding of which is our job.

The report of the Rosebud Full Time Health Unit was intensely interesting. We should be proud of that work being done in our midst. It is one of the major developments of our western civilization.

Next came the report of the Board of School Trustees. The Chairman of the Board gave a lengthy and very interesting resume of the working of the School Staffs, and the education and vocational training of the future citizens of Canada, and, by the way, the greatest asset of our country.

The annual meetings over. The next step for the welfare of our free institutions was the Nomination Meeting held last Monday. No interest whatever was taken in it, so that the members of the Council and School Board had to persuade themselves to do the selecting of candidates. They can't be blamed for that, but it is not true democracy that is worth dying for.

The mayor was elected by acclamation. He has proved himself a good Mayor, and is worthy, of another term.

The retiring members of the School Board were also elected by acclamation.

There is to be an election, next Monday, for Town Councillors, four being nominated for two vacancies. Some may doubt the wisdom of holding an election in these difficult times, but it may have the effect of stirring in us a greater interest in our free institutions. If so, it will be well worth while. If not, then we are doomed to future conflicts.

Didsbury Boy Helps In Sinking Sub.

Word has been received that an Italian submarine has been sunk in the Western Mediterranean, by the Corvette, H.M.C.S. Port Arthur.

Stoker "Bill" St. Clair of Didsbury, of the Royal Canadian Navy, is a member of the crew of the Port Arthur.

Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King offered his personal congratulations to the members of the crew for their bravery in action.

No doubt "Bill" will be able to tell the Didsbury folks some tall tales upon his return.

CURLING NOTES.

The Wood rink of Crossfield were unbeaten and won both major events at the very successful hospital which was held last week. Kaufman took second place in the Merchants event while Miller of Olds was the runner up in the Citizens event.

In the consolation Miller of Carstairs was the winner, beating Wordie in the finals.

The following details of play are continued from last week:

MERCHANTS

Semi Finals
Kaufman beat Liesemer, Carstairs Wood, Crossfield, beat Klein

Finals

Wood beat Kaufman

CITIZENS

Wood beat McCloy

Miller, Olds, beat Heselton

Final

Wood beat Miller

CONSOLATION EVENT

16's

Fisher beat Howie

Johnson beat Ross

Ballam beat Reiber

Watkin beat Shorbottom

Wordie beat Bottomon

Wordie beat Watkin

8's

Mills beat Habikrik

Calithess beat Fisher

Johnson beat Ballam

Wordie beat Watkin

4's

Mills beat Calithess

Wordie beat Johnson

FINAL

Mills beat Wordie

Ed Watkin's rink won the "hard luck" prize, two tickets to the show each man, donated by the Theatre management. They were the only local team to win only one game.

and the total destruction of our so called democratic way of life.

One of these fine days our young men will be coming back to us. We shall expect them to take their places in Governments, Federal, Provincial and Local. In the meantime we, who, through age or infirmity, are not privileged to take our places in the firing line, must take our places energetically and sincerely for the welfare of our fellowmen, on a real Home Front.

Let's all get out and vote on Monday, and may the best men win.

Annual Town and School Meetings

The interest taken in town and school affairs by the ratepayers of Didsbury, has reached a very low ebb if the attendance at the annual meeting on Friday evening is any indication. In addition to the members of the town council and School Board there were only five ratepayers present.

The financial statement and reports of the various committees were read. A few questions were asked but there was no criticism, and after a short discussion the statement and reports were adopted.

Mr. Frank Kaufman brought up the question of a curfew for children. He said that children of public school age were to be seen on the streets at very late hours, and, as a result, their school work was interfered with.

The mayor said that the curfew by-law some years ago did not meet with much success and that without the full co-operation from the parents it was bound to fail. He said it would be a matter for the new council to take up.

Mr. Austin suggested that perhaps the matter could be better solved by a parent-teachers association. He thought that co-operation between teachers and parents would bring good results in different school affairs.

At the school meeting which followed Mr. A. R. Kendrick gave a resume of different work that had been taken up in the last few years describing particularly the work done in the general shop, home economics, and commercial departments. He spoke very highly of the teaching staff and said that, even with the heavy classes, they were doing excellent work.

The financial statement was read and adopted without discussion.

Town Election Next Monday

Mayor Reiber was re-elected for his third term at the nomination meeting held on Monday, and the three retiring candidates, Tom Morris, George Law and A. R. Kendrick, were also re-elected by acclamation to the School Board.

For the Council, however, four candidates were nominated for two vacancies, and the election will be on Monday next.

John E. Goeder, who has again been nominated, is the retiring councillor, and the vacancy caused by the death of the late W. Reider is to be filled.

The following candidates were nominated:

- H. M. Bowman, nominated by H. Lynch-Staunton and W. A. McFarquhar
- John E. Goeder, nominated by C. E. Reiber and A. Brusso
- C. McLaughlin, nominated by H. Lynch-Staunton and W. A. McFarquhar
- H. Lynch-Staunton, nominated by W. H. McFarquhar and H. M. Bowman

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CANADA IS FORTUNATE in being able, through the wealth of her natural resources, to contribute a great deal to the supplies and equipment of the fighting forces of the United Nations. The importance of our agricultural products in this regard is known to be enormous, and in a like manner Canada's mineral resources are contributing vitally needed materials for the armed forces of the northern sections, contain rich mineral deposits, and mining has always been one of our largest industries. The great importance of minerals in making materials of war, however, has placed this industry in an increasingly important position, and every effort has been made here to increase and speed up the supply of minerals needed for arms and equipment. In many cases this expansion will have a lasting effect on Canada's industrial development.

Nickel Used In War Materials

One of the most important metals used in the production of materials of war is nickel, and Canada has rich deposits of this metal in Northern Ontario. It is said that Canada produces 50% of the nickel used by the United Nations. The supply of this metal has increased greatly since the outbreak of the war, but even with this rapid expansion there has been difficulty in keeping up with the growing demand for it. At present an intensive effort is being made to salvage nickel from scrap metals to supplement the supply of the primary metal. The uses of nickel in war equipment are many, the most important being in defense forms of armament, such as armour plate and gun shells. It is widely used, too, in the manufacture of an armour plate of nickel steel, of the type employed to protect battleships. It is also used in many ways in the manufacture of naval and army equipment.

Many Minerals Are Exported

In a recent report on Canada's mineral production, Dr. Charles Cammell, Deputy Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys for the Dominion Government, stated that Great Britain uses large quantities of Canadian-produced nickel, copper, lead, zinc and mercury, and that the United States is dependent almost entirely upon Canada for its requirements of nickel and asbestos. Prior to the war, the report continued, Canada exported more than 90% of the numerous metals, but because of the growth of our war industries we now use 65% of the copper produced here, 40% of the zinc, and 25% of the lead. Canada's aluminum industry has expanded greatly due to the importance of that metal in the production of aircraft. As in other primary industries, shortages of labor and scarcity of supplies due to war conditions have proved detrimental to the fullest development of our mineral resources at this time, but in spite of this factor, Canada's mines are making a vitally important contribution towards a United Nations victory.

Found Right Name

Editor Solved Problem of What To Call Copy Girl

A few weeks ago the first copy girl joined the staff of the Minneapolis Star Journal. Editors, who were used to having "Boo-ey" when they wanted a story or a headline blatted to the composing room, didn't know at first just what to call Copy Girl Barbara Bedford. Then one of our best and happy solutions, and catching himself, suddenly, he shouted "Miss Boo-ey" and Miss Boy! she's been ever since.

The port of Soerenga in Tunisia was founded by the Phoenicians 30 centuries ago.

The distance from the moon to the earth varies from 221,614 to 252,972 miles.

Service Discontinued

No Air Mail Between Canada and Britain For Civilians

Air mail from Canada to civilians in Britain has been discontinued, postal authorities said at Ottawa. Airmail still traveled by mail, and as so many as possible, of the special blue air mail forms to men in the forces. However, a large percentage of those at present go by boat also.

A similar situation exists for mail travelling from Britain to Canada. There is only sufficient aircraft to carry about 10 per cent of the air mail officials said.

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Grain Marketing Through Pigs

The opportunity of marketing additional quantities of wheat and other grains through pigs is one which Saskatchewan will welcome. Where thirty and vigorous pigs are considered, and with pork prices as they are today, \$15.10 per 100 lbs. for B carcasses at Saskatoon, there is no special reason why farmers feed wheat should not get a return of between \$1.00 and \$1.50 per bushel, depending on whether or not the grade is made for labour and overhead.

"Indeed we should seize every opportunity to convert wheat into pork, wheat to dairy products, wheat to beef, wheat to horse power and wheat to fuel. It is not only profitable; it is thus a particularly suitable feed for pigs. That does not mean that wheat is feed-proof as it is not, but when it is fed judiciously, it can be used quite extensively and to good advantage. It is not only a good feed for pigs because the grinding 'presupposes' a juicy mess in the stomach which digestive juices will not penetrate so readily. Furthermore, wheat is a concentrated feed and there is an increased danger from overfeeding building materials and feed for dairy and swine; some folk in feeding rations rich in wheat to brood sows last winter obtained good results by mixing about 12 or 15% of hampered alfalfa hay with the ground wheat. In any case, wheat should be fed to pigs on a weight basis rather than by measure."

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"Wherever feed and help resources make it possible, the people on the land should not consider adding one or more sows to the breeding herd; and then plan to make them as productive as possible. It is true that Saskatchewan production has increased consistently since the memorable drought year of 1937 when through lack of feed reserves, wheat sale liquidation of breeding stock became necessary. But there are still some farms in Saskatchewan on which no pigs are kept and there are many on which only one or two sows are kept. Federal authorities expect that the 1943 increases must come very largely from Western Canada and it is quite apparent that this province can do more. As a matter of fact, the leadership in pig production has passed to Western Canada within the last two years, with the Province of Alberta in the forefront position. Although, by the way, has Saskatchewan, Alberta farmers, when 1942 returns are complete, will have marked an increase of 22 pigs per farm, while in Saskatchewan the average number marketed per farm will be a little less than seven. Saskatchewan with its great stores of wheat and other grains, admirably suited to pig feeding, can and will do more."

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6,251,000 Pigs in 1942

In 1941 the Canadian objective was 600 million pounds of bacon for export. Although Canadian consumers denied themselves their customary national pork and bacon diet, they quite attain the goal. Nevertheless, we did in 1942 set for ourselves a

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Care of Breeding Herd

The farmer's responsibility in the present effort does not cease with the breeding of sows; we must do all possible to see that care is given to the breeding herd through the winter months. That strong and healthy litters will be produced; and after that, losses be minimized. Attention to detail during the period before farrowing will pay dividends. Sows, for example, should be kept in a medium state of fatness, i.e., neither very fat nor very thin. We have observed too, that a time supplement, about 1% to 1 1/2% of ground limestone in the grain, to brood sows during winter months will result in more certain and healthy litters at farrowing and more milk later. Furthermore, there will be no excuse for the loss of whole litters due to hairlessness in the newborn pigs. This condition reflects an iodine deficiency that can be easily and cheaply prevented by supplying some potassium iodide to the sows. The favourite method consists of dissolving an ounce of potassium iodide in a gallon of water, keeping the liquid in a stone jar or crock, if an empty one can be found, and giving the sows a tablespoonful each, two or three times a week for the two months before farrowing.

The Help Breeds

All pigs should be getting some salt a little later, when the winter litters or early spring litters are coming; it will be necessary to attend to detail during the period before farrowing that are being reared on cement or board floors. These young pigs will develop iodine deficiency, if this is not attended to, and will develop resulting in the loss of very much needed pigs to all our quota and do all we should to keep Britain's people properly nourished."

The percentage of pigs that die before attaining market weight is all too high. It is obviously an important factor in the losses as it tends to extend our breeding programme. This suggests a number of other considerations as well. First, the winter litters; it suggests a guard rail in the farrowing pen, to suggest a good sanitation and clean ground that will reduce the threat of loss from parasites and disease; and it suggests the best use of pasture crops in the summer season.

"Now, the first thing is to secure some additional breeding stock wherever the feed situation will permit an enlarged enterprise, and second, to make the entire herd function as efficiently as possible. The Department of Agriculture, the Experimental farms and the Agricultural College are ready to help if more information is desired. From these institutions advice and leadership on some production, are available merely for the asking; these contain more valuable detail about breeding, feeding, the use of the self-feeders, as well as so many other things, that I am able to give in a short address. Saskatchewan is asked to enlarge and extend pig production by 75% this year. Another sow on every farm will about do it. Some say we can't afford to do it. I'm not sure we can't, but I'm ready to say that if we can, we will, and our agricultural leaders may at least of the self-feeders and the use of this province doing all possible to achieve worthy goals in 1943."

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"Now, the first thing is to secure some additional breeding stock wherever the feed situation will permit an enlarged enterprise, and second, to make the entire herd function as efficiently as possible. The Department of Agriculture, the Experimental farms and the Agricultural College are ready to help if more information is desired. From these institutions advice and leadership on some production, are available merely for the asking; these contain more valuable detail about breeding, feeding, the use of the self-feeders, as well as so many other things, that I am able to give in a short address. Saskatchewan is asked to enlarge and extend pig production by 75% this year. Another sow on every farm will about do it. Some say we can't afford to do it. I'm not sure we can't, but I'm ready to say that if we can, we will, and our agricultural leaders may at least of the self-feeders and the use of this province doing all possible to achieve worthy goals in 1943."

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Alberta truck licenses will be issued as early as possible in March, it was stated this week by officials of the Highway Traffic Board. This will enable drivers and operators to have their licenses on display April 1, the beginning of the next license year. Passenger car licenses will also be available early in March, according to officials of the Provincial Secretary's department. The 1943 plates will be orange, with black numerals. Only rear plates will be issued to trucks. There was an increase in the number of farm truck licenses issued last year, the total of 30,000 being 2,000 more than in the previous year. The number of commercial trucks declined during the year.

Westcott Notes

The January meeting of the Westcott W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Harry Levagood on Thursday last, when 14 members were present. Varied were the questions asked and answered in the roll call. Health items by members also proved very educating and interesting. The Christmas pie collection, netting \$6.75, was sent to the Woods Christian Home. Owing to inclement weather the social evening did not take place on January 22, as arranged. Plans have been made to hold it this Friday evening, February 5, at the Sheldon Owen's home. The meeting closed in the usual manner and lunch was served.

Notes From the West

Owing to the extremely cold weather only a few of the Willing Workers turned out to the meeting at Mrs. C. Byrt's last Wednesday. The secretary reports that parcels were sent to the local boys overseas at the beginning of January. The next meeting, February 10th, will be at the home of Mrs. A. Sydnamiller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Banting, Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnston, Carstairs, Mrs. E. Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Hogg, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Korschuk on Sunday. There were four generations present. Sydnamiller, her daughter, Mrs. C. Korschuk, her daughter, Mrs. S. Johnston, Carstairs, and her baby son Cameron.

**SEEDTIME and HARVEST**

Dr. K. W. Neely
Director, Agricultural Department
North-West Line Extension Association

What to Grow in 1943

As a result of the Dominion Provincial conference held in Ottawa last December, it is recommended that wheat plantings be reduced by nearly 1 million acres, and rye by almost 1/2 million acres. Increased summer fallow is not suggested. But we are advised to use the land taken out of wheat to increase the acreage of other crops as follows: oats, over 1 1/2 million; barley, 3/4 million; hay and clover, 3/4 million; alfalfa, 3/4 million.

The above adjustments are chiefly the concern of the prairie provinces because we now about 95 per cent of Canada's wheat acreage. Indeed, we can go further and say that the change will be concentrated in Saskatchewan and Alberta, because Manitoba planted less than two million acres of wheat in 1942.

To the individual farmer the desired changes mean that, on the average, for every 100 acres of wheat he grew in 1942, he should grow only 82 in 1943. Obviously, these changes must be considered in relation to district and to the possibility of increasing various classes of livestock. Generally speaking, on the open prairies, it will be difficult to reduce wheat acreages by 18 per cent. As a result of the announcement that the flax acreage should not be increased in 1943, it would be wise to forget about flax in the mixed farming areas and concentrate our production in the plains where coarse grains do not do so well. If the government's wishes are to be realized, wheat acreage reduction must exceed 18 per cent where mixed farming is feasible and profitable. More grasses and/or clovers will be advantageous nearly everywhere.

Lone Pine Notes

Lone Pine W. I. held their January meeting at the home of the secretary, Mrs. O. Faas, with 12 members and 4 visitors present. The 10c draw was won by Mrs. Grace Blitner and the War Savings Certificate by Mrs. Ellen Richardson.

There will be a Valentine Dance on Friday, February 12. Please bring your own sugar. Good music.

The February meeting will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. F. Ahlgren.

Bergen Notes.

Mr. Eric Lyle, who is stationed at Lethbridge, was home on leave until Friday.

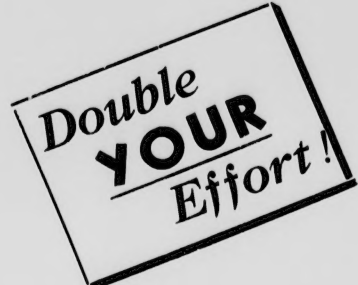
Harry McKnight and Chas. McCutcheon who are also stationed at Lethbridge, were sent to Vancouver for a month's training. On their return Mr. Lyle will be sent to Vancouver.

Mr. Chas. Erickson has had a stroke of paralysis, and is confined to his bed.

Rev. A. Eby and Mr. Henry Nielson attended the wedding of Lawrence Jensen and Miss Clara Pollock, held at the home of Lloyd Stauffer, and found the weather quite cold.

Mrs. Tedford is under the weather at the present writing.

The cold snap we had gave us a more appreciative attitude toward the "sticks", as some are pleased to call the place we inhabit.

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Supply Minister Sir Andrew Duncan has promised the British Eighth Army in Libya still more and better arms in 1943.

The BBC reported that Maj.-Gen. Scherer, commander of the German garrison at Volkie Lufke, escaped by plane while his troops were being wiped out by the Russian army.

U.S. Postmaster General Frank Walker announced the issuance of a one-cent "Four Freedoms" postage stamp to replace the present penny defence stamp.

Seventy-five carloads of dressed poultry, totalling 1,300,000 pounds, were shipped out of Alberta for the Christmas markets, a survey showed. Ninety per cent. of loading consisted of turkeys.

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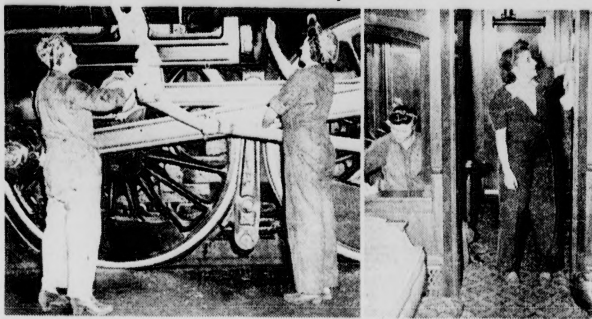


THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



Workers In Victory's Cause



Four of sixteen women who have swapped house dresses for slacks and overalls to clean cars and locomotives in the C.P.R.'s Vancouver shops are shown in action above. Mrs. Miriam Violette, and Mrs. Patricia Plant (left), are cleaning the drive rods and wheels of a huge locomotive; and Miss Margaret Pailles and Mrs. Audrey Alabaster, right, are doing a thoroughly housewife-like job cleaning the interior of a coach. Releasing men for the armed services, these women, like thousands of others who are doing "men's jobs" throughout Canada, are doing their part to help win the war.

—Canadian Pacific photo.

Chilly Days

German Prisoner In Russia Suffers From The Cold

In the Stalingrad area, Red Army men picked up Paul Reising, private of the Third Company, 670th Regiment, 371st German Infantry Division. His legs and right arm were frost-bitten. On interrogation Reising stated:

"Our company has not yet received winter clothing. Sergeant-majors and non-coms daily instruct the soldiers how to protect themselves from frost-bite. We were instructed to put rags over our boots, to lay straw around the boot tops, to protect our ears with towels. The soldiers are in very low spirits. They say, 'Last year's story is being repeated. We shall all freeze to death.' To cheer us up, we were recently told that the command has instituted a medal 'for participation in winter operations on the Eastern Front'. Only those who spent last winter on the front line are now being decorated with that ribbon.

"The soldiers have nicknamed this medal 'The Order of the Frozen Flesh.'"—U.S.S.R. Bulletin.

Computes Life Of Guns

Much Depends On Important Work Of Young British Girl

Men's lives depend on the decisions of a pretty blue-eyed girl of 22, Pte. Elsie Davis, of the Auxiliary Territorial Service, from Folkestone.

She is the first British woman to be trained to compute the life of guns. She does it all on paper from measurements of guns brought in for repair.

Elsie is one of a corps of A.T.S. girls at a central ordnance depot in the Home counties, where women will soon be doing 75 per cent. of the jobs for the Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Handling screw drivers as easily as toasting forks, girls with five months intensive training scramble into the wire-webbed interiors of radiolocation sets repairing damages.

Other girls doing the work of preserving gun parts have discovered that lubricating oil is excellent for manicure. "I might look a bit grimy now," said one of them, dipping a brush into a pot of oil, "but you'd be surprised how clean and soft my hands are after a wash. It's as good as any hand lotion."

Seventy Miles Of String

Collected By English School Children For Royal Air Force

School children gave the Royal Air Force a ball of string more than six feet high. The ball weighed more than half a ton and contained 70 miles of string that they collected. A bomber pilot, acknowledging the gift, told the children that it would be made into maps and charts used for flights, as these are manufactured from special paper for which the string can form the raw material.

SAVE THE FATS

Fats make glycerine, and glycerine makes high explosives. Bones produce fat also, glue for war industry. That is why the authorities at Ottawa are making a drive for the saving of every spoonful of dripping, every piece of fat and every bone. It has been estimated that one ounce of fat dripping per person per week would provide thirteen million pounds of fat each year for glycerine. Toronto, Telegram.

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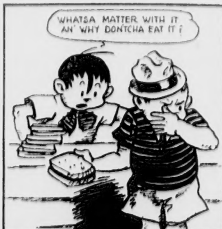
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SAFETY OF HAZARD

By J. B. RYAN

CHAPTER III.

THE hood of the baracca had fallen back, revealing the coal-black hair of the strange girl. As Jack Storey obtained his first full glimpse of her flawless features and pale olive complexion, a sudden lunge on the part of the girl heeled the grasp of her two captors.

"No, no!" she cried, plunging blindly through the gathered soldiers. "You must not hinder me—"

But the police were too many. An arm whipped out and the girl was made prisoner once more.

The sergeant grunted. "You do not wish to appear before Captain Lebeau? Then you were surely responsible for the death of this man?" "I did not kill him," the girl had forced herself into a measure of composure. "Nor, for that matter, did Monsieur Lebeau—"

The noncom gestured to his men. "Come. The Captain can question these people."

Jack Storey fell in step with the girl as the couple were marched along the street. "Do not be alarmed, Mademoiselle," he tried to reassure her. "The officer in charge of Ain Safa will be just. We shall be free as soon as a few routine details are completed with."

The starlight touched her white teeth as the girl attempted to return his smile. "Oh, Monsieur Storey," she murmured, "why did you not remain in the coffee-house until the police arrived? Then I would not be in this predicament."

"But we can prove that I am innocent," she said. "I suppose so," Her voice sank lower. "You will free me, but I—"

She took advantage of a narrowing of the street to whisper to him, "Monsieur Storey," she whispered, "I tried to save you from Andre Ribot."

"Would you help me in turn by stating that I am your friend?" It may not work, but I can keep my identity secret."

"But I have no sister—," he began, then checked himself. "Of course, Mademoiselle. What is your name?"

"Annette," she told him. "That much of my night name will arouse no suspicion—if you do not fail me."

THE conversation was ended by their arrival at the tall building that was the headquarters of the Spanish. The commander of the garrison, General Lebeau, was at his desk. The captain heard the names of John Storey and Annette Storey. In a ledger, then informed the prisoner that the case would be dealt with in the morning. Algeria being a part of France and the death of a native in Ain Safa receiving the same careful consideration and investigation as a killing in Paris itself.

Annette's disappointment over their detention was such that Storey, seated in the cheerless room that his cell, was inclined to the belief that the girl was in fear of the law. Yet she had taken exposure to save him from the knives of the Kabili. The least Storey could do was to keep up the pretense of relationship which, so far, had gone unmentioned.

However, Storey had reckoned without the efficiency of the French, even in such an isolated post as the oasis of Ain Safa. The morning that followed a sleepless night was well advanced before the door of Storey's cell was unlocked. As he preceded the guard down the corridor he counted Annette also being escorted to the office of Captain Lebeau.

"There is a slight irregularity here, Monsieur Storey," Lebeau studied a typewritten paper in his hands. "We radioed Gardania last night, checking up on your story. Gardania stated that you lived in that vicinity for almost 10 years, ever since your now-deceased father came to Algeria to form a partnership in a sheep-raising business with Kaid Ibrahim. The enterprise was yours since the death of the kaid three years ago. Recently you sold your sheep and lands and are now on your way to the United States."

The officer paused. "All this is true, Monsieur?"

"That's my dossier," nodded Storey. "Now about that Berber?"

"One moment, please," Captain Lebeau held up a hand, his eyes on the printed report. "There is also a description of you which seems to

tally with your appearance. Height—five and eight tenths meters; hair—dark brown; eyes—blue; cleft chin—and a nose not exactly straight. However," Lebeau looked over the top of the paper, "there is no mention of any sister."

Storey smiled. "Naturally there would not be. Annette spent all her life in America. She was to meet me in Cairo but could not wait, and came on to Ain Safa instead."

THE Frenchman cleared his throat, and he dropped his official attitude long enough to smile at the girl standing beside Jack Storey. "I hope that also proves true. It grieves me to keep one so charmingly beautiful under lock and key. I would have sent her to Algiers or to Vichy."

"What makes you doubt her?" demanded Storey. "I'll take all the blame for that street light. She had nothing to do with it."

Lebeau explained. "Monsieur Andre Ribot was with me when these reports came in. When it was disclosed that Monsieur Storey had no sister, Ribot suggested that I radio a description of the Mademoiselle to Algiers and Algiers." He glanced at the girl and then at Storey. "Algeria asks that you be held pending investigation. They are quite certain that you are Annette Fourrier."

To the extent of the girl remained unmoved. But Storey saw the level of the desk crouch involuntarily. Annette Fourrier—the name meant nothing to Storey. But, noting the controlled face of the girl and the watchful gaze of the captain of the Spanish, he sensed that Annette Fourrier must be a personage of importance.

"Well, Mademoiselle," queried Lebeau. "Are you Annette Fourrier?"

"No, Monsieur," Storey interrupted. "I have told you she is my sister."

"I am afraid we cannot accept your unsupported statement, Monsieur Storey. If she is Annette Fourrier, I shall lose my position if I allow her to go."

"That who is this Mademoiselle Fourrier?"

"A traitor to France," said Lebeau. "An agent of De Gaulle, the man who would create civil war in France. The Free French have been declared outlawed, you know, in spite of that, Annette Fourrier manages to fit from end to end of French Africa, passing the word of revolt against the proper heads of the Republic. Already Vichy views her activities with disfavor."

"Monsieur le Capitaine," the girl approached the desk. "I shall tell you the truth. I am Annette Storey."

There was a short silence. "You know what this admission means, Mademoiselle?" Lebeau asked gently.

"The law against the adherents of the rebel De Gaulle is harsh even in its most lenient part."

"It means at least prison and perhaps death," Lebeau said. "I mean at least prison and perhaps death," Lebeau said. "I mean at least prison and perhaps death," Lebeau said.

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"If this man is a masquerader, where is the real Andre Ribot?" "A man," said Lebeau, in Don Saada's town where Andre Ribot was to begin his purchases. He was unknown, his remains unidentified because his features were washed in Vichy, a general description of the dead whom I suspect of having taken his place."

"Suspect?" repeated Lebeau. "Then you cannot prove your charges, Mademoiselle?"

"Not yet," she admitted reluctantly. "I have tried this Ribot across Algeria, but so far his actions have told me what we would expect of the man he pretends to be. But it is in Ain Safa that he must show his hand. You may be departed this morning, Captain. Would you send a detachment of your police to see whether he has in truth gone toward Libya?"

"This is no trick, Mademoiselle Fourrier?" You lied to me in the beginning."

ANNETTE'S voice became more persuasive. "What have you to lose, Monsieur le Capitaine? I am your prisoner. You will be commended for capturing Annette Fourrier. Think of the further glory that will be yours if to that exploit you add the feat of frustrating the designs of the renegade whom we must call Ribot. It is not that the sheep are destined for the Germans—sheep will not disturb certain elements in Vichy—that you must consider. But your countrymen and mine are waiting for food."

The French officer turned his head. "Sergeant Jardine," he addressed the non-com at the door, "ride out of town with your men and learn for me just where Monsieur Ribot has gone with his sheep."

The sergeant touched his hat and departed. Lebeau then nodded to the nervous Annette. "You will conduct Mademoiselle Fourrier back to her cell."

As the girl turned toward the door, Jack Storey was about to follow when the captain remarked, "You see, Monsieur Storey, you will remain for a further word with me." (To Be Continued.)

SMILE AWHILE

Wife—Every time you see a pretty girl, you forget you're married. Husband—You're young, my dear. Nothing brings home the fact with so much force.

Teacher (in physiology class)—Junior, can you give a familiar example of the human body as it adapts itself to changed conditions? Junior—Yes, sir. My aunt gained fifty pounds in a year and her skin never cracked.

"Yep, I had a beard like yours once, but when I realized how it made me look I cut it off."

"Well, I had a face like yours once and when I realized that I couldn't cut it off, I grew this beard."

"Did you get a peep at the underworld while you yutz in New York, Hiram?"

"Sure thing," said Hiram, "five times. Three times in the subway and twice going and coming through the tunnel under the river."

A clergyman had cause to reproach one of his parishioners. The latter lost his temper and as a parting shot he uttered out:

"If I had any sensible son I would make him a minister."

"Your father thought differently replied the cleric meekly. 2499

"MIDDLE-AGE" WOMEN (38-52 yrs old) NEED THIS ADVICE!!

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Women's Naval Service

The Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service is Now Recruiting

The Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service is actively recruiting Canadian women between the ages of 18 and 45 in 22 different categories. Girls with training and experience will find no difficulty in choosing work for which they have been fitted. In the case of younger women too, just out of school, the service offers ample opportunity to pick work for which they have a liking and aptitude. Advancement is progressive through the ranks, and depends entirely on the proficiency displayed and the individual's application to the work at hand. Most categories are divided into three classes and the daily rate of pay is increased as promotion for proficiency is made from one to another.

At the present time, the need is great for cooks and stewards. In the former category, any woman who has an aptitude for cooking but whose previous experience is limited, could be enrolled as a cook, and trained. Girls with previous employment in domestic service are preferred, but those who are accustomed to housework and like it can be trained to do this type of work. Living and working conditions are ideal at the Training Establishment at Galt, Ontario, to which the girls are drafted upon acceptance. The uniform all-woman is very generous and the uniforms themselves are neat and becoming.

Information of any description may be obtained by applying to the W.R.C.N.S. Interviewing Officer, care of the nearest R.C.N.V.R. Divisions in this province.

A Golden Opportunity

College Professor Found It Too Good To Pass Up

A certain very happily married college professor, delivering a graduation address, had this to say to the listening students:

"Gentlemen, many of you will marry. Read it while you wait. And Gentlemen," he kindly smiled, "I have a trace of irony—"I assure you that you will be astonished at the amount of information you will acquire."

AIRGRAPH MAIL

In the 18 months since the service was started, fifty million airmail letters have been sent between members of the forces and their relatives. Airgraphs are being sent out from Britain at the rate of rather more than a million a week, and a similar number are arriving in the British Isles from overseas.

GOOD ADVICE

Set yourself earnestly to see what you were made to do, and then set yourself earnestly to do it. The latter your purpose is the more sure you will be to make the world richer with every enrichment of yourself, said Phillips Brooks.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

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| 1 Lamb | 43 Radicals | 1 Views | 16 Cynical |
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| 3 Turkish officer | 45 Place of contest | 3 Disgusted | 18 Drinks |
| 4 Artist's studio | 46 Canning | 4 To sense | 19 Opposing |
| 5 Romantic language | 47 Acquired | 5 Fats | 20 Motionless |
| 6 To excrete | 48 To depart | 6 Worm | 21 Spanish title |
| 7 Precaution | 49 Laid | 7 Promontory | 22 To pause |
| 8 To scatter | 50 To be obliged in | 8 Fullman | 23 German river |
| 9 To excite | 51 To scatter | 9 Winged | 24 Cloys |
| 10 Metal | 52 Score in tennis | 10 Slang, pilot | 25 Pierced, able events |
| 11 Full made matter | | | 26 Poems |
| 12 Ocean | | | 27 Ledges for soldiers |
| 13 Hysteria | | | 28 Claim |
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| 16 Denunciation of contempt | | | 31 Mountain |
| 17 To finish | | | 32 Curved strip of wood |
| 18 Laid | | | 33 One more |
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| 22 Backbone | | | 37 Till now |
| 23 Coaches | | | 38 Lining junction |

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BUTTER CONSUMPTION TEMPORARILY REDUCED

It has become necessary to reduce the current rate of consumption of butter, and accordingly changes have been made in the dates on which (brown) spare "C" coupons of the current ration book may be used.

Spare "C" coupons 10 and 11 may not be used for the purchase of butter. Coupons 1 to 4 inclusive, have already expired.

Expiry dates for spare "C" coupons 5 to 8, inclusive, have been extended to aid consumers in stretching out the butter allowance over the period from now until February 25th.

Each coupon will continue to be good for the purchase of one-half pound of butter and will be good only on the dates specified below:

HERE IS THE NEW SCHEDULE

| Coupon Number | Good for purchase beginning on: | Not good for purchase after: |
|---------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 5 and 6 | January 18th | February 28th |
| 7 and 8 | February 1st | February 28th |
| 9 | March 1st | March 14th |

The result of this is to reduce each individual's allowance by 2 2/3 ounces per week during the temporary period.

CONSUMERS WILL FIND IT ADVISABLE TO RATION THEMSELVES SO THAT THEY MAY BE ABLE TO STRETCH THE NEW BUTTER ALLOWANCE OVER THE NEXT SIX WEEKS

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

LOCAL & GENERAL

Harry Gabel informs us that the postponed carnival will be held this Saturday evening, February 6.

The W.M.S. of the Evangelical church will hold a day of prayer for missions, Sunday morning at 10:30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Falk and family of Sunnyslope, were visiting friends and relatives here last weekend.

Miss Erid Nelson left on Tuesday for Calgary where she will visit her sister, Mrs. F. R. Thompson, for a few days.

A pair of baby shoes was found on the street Saturday night. The owner should enquire at the Pioneer Office.

ACI Jim Sinclair of the bombing and gunnery school of Leithbridge, is spending his two weeks furlough at his home here.

The Sr. Ladies Aid of Knox United Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Fawcett on Friday, February 5, at 3 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Foot returned to Yellowknife last weekend after spending two weeks in town and district.

At the Didsbury Theatre this week, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Tyrone Power, in "Son of Man", the story of Benjamin Blake with Gene Tierney.

The W.C.T.U. will hold the Francis Willard meeting at the home of Mrs. H. M. Reiber, Thursday, February 7, at 3 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to visitors.

Elmer Wall, who has been with the B.C. Forest Service at New Westminster for the past five months, returned home on Sunday, having been discharged on account of health.

Donald Hugh Lamont, formerly a resident of Didsbury, enlisted in the Canadian Active Army last week at Calgary. Prior to his enlistment he was employed as a laborer.

Gerald Blanchard Boettger, formerly a resident of Didsbury, enlisted in the Canadian Active Army last week at Calgary. Previous to his enlistment he was employed as a Clerk.

The Junior Red Cross Committee is opening a superfluity shop on Saturday, in the front of Studer's store. Please look up your discarded clothing, books, etc. Your donations will be appreciated.

Lt. R. M. Spooner of Hartmann, enlisted in the Ordinance Corps recently, and left for the Officers Training School at Gordon Head, B.C. He was recently in charge of the Didsbury detachment of the 14th Army Tank Reg. (Res.)

Mrs. Adam McColeman of Wildwood, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Pike and brother-in-law, H. Money, left on Tuesday for Vancouver where she will visit her daughter, Miss Ruth McColeman.

They say the Air Cadet dance which was held Friday evening, was the most enjoyable dance held here for a long time. Jerry Fuller and his band was in good form. There was a nice crowd, and while it was not very successful financially, it was a great success in every other respect.

Three rinks, headed by Jack McCloy, Irwin Klein and Frank Kaufman are taking part in the Olds bonspiel and are doing very well at the time of going to press. The McCloy rink was undefeated and was in the finals in the two major events and Irwin Klein was in the jewellery in one major event, having been beaten after a good game by McCloy in the semi final.

So Ho Joe of the Club Lunch informs us that he received a letter from his brother, Soo Sang (Dunk) who is now living near Canton, China. This letter was mailed last August and arrived here January 30. This is the first letter received here for almost two years, and Dunk has not received any letter sent from here during that time. He says he is well but there is great suffering in his neighborhood, which is near the part occupied by the Japs.

More Subscription Aid to Russia Fund.

Further subscriptions have been received by Mayor Reiber for the Aid to Russia Fund.

The fund is still open and any contribution will be acknowledged in the "Pioneer."

Previously announced \$205.95

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| Edna Dowell and | 2.50 |
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| Jean Robertson | 5.00 |
| Canuck | 1.00 |
| Ev. Sunday School | 10.00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. S. Klejko | 2.00 |
| Total | 254.45 |

NOTICE OF POLL

Town of Didsbury
Municipal Elections

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held for the offices of Councillors of the Town of Didsbury for the years 1943, 1944 and 1945, and that the polling will take place on Monday, the 8th day of February, 1943, from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon, at the following place: The office of the Secretary-Treasurer, in the said town of Didsbury, and that I will, at my office, in Didsbury, on Monday, the 8th day of February, 1943, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

Given under my hand, at Didsbury, Alberta, this first day of February, 1943.

W. A. AUSTIN
Returning Officer

Thanks

As I intend retiring from the council of M.D. No. 310, I wish to thank the ratepayers for their past support and co-operation.

Jack Boulton.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of a dear father, George Bowyer, who passed away in Didsbury, February 7th, 1942.

Fondly remembered by his daughter, Alice.

In loving memory of Mrs. D. G. Hardbottle, who passed away on February 5th, 1942.

In our home she is fondly remembered and sadly missed. Sweet memories cling to her name. Those who loved her in life sincerely, still love her in death just the same.

Ever remembered by her husband, sons and daughters.

We meet every day in the garden of memories.

D. G. Hardbottle
and family

In loving memory of our beloved wife and mother, Alice Money, who passed away, January 28th, 1942. —"She is not dead but sleeping"—

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